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TO AMCONSUL GUAYAQUIL

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TAGS: EFIN

SUBJECT: TEXAS METER AND DEVICE COMPANY

T.R. KRAMER, MANAGER OF TEXAS METER AND DEVICE COMPANY,  
INC ARRIVING GUAYAQUIL SATURDAY JULY 28 TO INVESTIGATE THE  
POSSIBILITY OF MANUFACTURE AND ASSEMBLY OF A LINE OF ELECTRICITY  
METERS AND DISTRIBUTION POLE TYPE TRANSFORMERS (RELEVANT SIC  
NUMBERS ARE 3825110, 3825111, 3825135, 3612561 AND 3612563).

OPIC IS INTERESTED AS POTENTIAL INSURER AND LENDER. KRAMER  
WILL CALL ON CONSUL IN GUAYAQUIL AND, IF POSSIBLE, EMBASSY.  
OPIC WILL APPRECIATE ANY ASSISTANCE POSSIBLE IN ARRANGING  
RELEVANT APPOINTMENTS AND SECURING MARKET DATA. REACTION TO  
PROJECT PROPOSAL ALSO APPRECIATED. KISSINGER

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